

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 830
By Kilby

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Christine Elizabeth Walker, 2006 Salutatorian of Coalfield School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Christine Elizabeth Walker is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2006 graduating class at Coalfield School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Christine Walker has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Ms. Walker has earned an exemplary 3.71 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, an active participant in her school's activities, Christine Walker is a member of the National Beta Club, which she has served as an officer; the Anchor Club, which she has served as treasurer; the Science Club, which she has served as secretary; the English Honor Society; and the Scientific Research Program; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Walker is an accomplished athlete who has served her school well as both a cheerleader and a member of the softball team; for her prowess on the softball field, Christine Walker has been named to the All District team and has been honored with the Softball Hustle Award; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Walker's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Christine Walker's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Todd and Patti Walker, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Walker's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2006 Coalfield School Salutatorian, Christine Elizabeth Walker, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.